

ORDINANCE NO. 91- 21

AN ORDINANCE OF THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF PALM BEACH COUNTY, FLORIDA, AMENDING ORDINANCE NO. 90-50; PROVIDING FOR THE EXCLUSION OF SMALL CLAIMS PROCEEDINGS FROM THE FIVE (\$5.00) DOLLAR SERVICE CHARGE ON COUNTY COURT PROCEEDINGS; PROVIDING FOR REPEAL OF LAWS IN CONFLICT; PROVIDING FOR SEVERABILITY; PROVIDING FOR INCLUSION IN THE CODE OF LAWS AND ORDINANCES; AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, Ordinance No. 90-50 was enacted, in part, to provide for service charges on County Court filings; and

WHEREAS, the intent of said ordinance was to exclude small claims proceedings.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF PALM BEACH COUNTY, FLORIDA, that:

SECTION 1.

Section 3 of Ordinance No. 90-50 is hereby amended to read:

The Clerk of the Court is hereby authorized and enjoined to collect a service charge of five (\$5.00) dollars on any county court proceeding excluding small claims proceedings commenced in the 15th Judicial Circuit.

All other provisions of Ordinance No. 90-50 shall remain in full force and effect.

SECTION 2. REPEAL OF LAWS IN CONFLICT

All local laws and ordinances in conflict with any provisions of this ordinance are hereby repealed.

SECTION 3. SEVERABILITY

If any section, paragraph, sentence, clause, phrase, or word of this ordinance is for any reason held by a Court to be unconstitutional, inoperative or void, such holding shall not affect the remainder of this ordinance.

SECTION 4. INCLUSION IN CODE OF LAWS AND ORDINANCES

The provisions of this ordinance shall become and be made a part of the Code of Laws and Ordinances of Palm Beach County, Florida. The sections of this ordinance may be renumbered or relettered to accomplish such, and the word "ordinance" may be changed to "section," "article," or any other appropriate word.



1            SECTION 5. EFFECTIVE DATE

2            The provisions of this ordinance shall become effective on  
3            April 30, 1991.

4            APPROVED and ADOPTED by the Board of County Commissioners of  
5            Palm Beach County, Florida on the 16th day of April,  
6            1991.

7            PALM BEACH COUNTY, FLORIDA, BY ITS  
8            BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

9            By: [Signature]

Chair

JOHN B. DUNKLE, CLERK  
Board of County Commissioners

By: [Signature]

DEPUTY CLERK

10            APPROVED AS TO FORM AND  
11            LEGAL SUFFICIENCY

12            By: [Signature]

13            Acknowledgement by the Department of the State of Florida, on  
14            this, the 26th day of April, 1991.

15            Acknowledgement from the Department of State of the State of  
16            Florida, in this the 1st day of May,  
17            1991, at 11:35 A. M., and filed in the Office of the Clerk  
18            of the Board of County Commissioners of Palm Beach County, Florida.

STATE OF FLORIDA, COUNTY OF PALM BEACH  
I, JOHN B. DUNKLE, ex-officio Clerk of the  
Board of County Commissioners certify this to  
be a true and correct copy of the original filed in  
my office on 5/16/91  
DATED at West Palm Beach, FL on 5/11/91  
JOHN B. DUNKLE, Clerk  
By: [Signature] D.C.